

An examiner's amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it MUST be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

Authorization for this examiner's amendment was given in a telephone interview with Mr. Allan Lowe on August 1, 2008.

The application has been amended as follows:

In claim 40, line 4, "closed" has been changed to "close".

In claim 40, line 8, after "vessel", --by a fairing -- has been inserted.

/Christopher Upton/

Primary Examiner, Art Unit 1797